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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Tatsuo TAKAOKA

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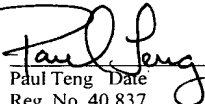
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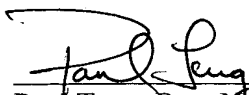
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that the period for filing a response to the final Office Action dated August 11, 2004 be extended by three months, i.e. from November 11, 2004 to February 11, 2005.

Enclosed is a check for the \$1,020.00 statutory extension fee for filing a response within the third month pursuant to §1.136(a) by other than a small entity.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,


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